INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT
BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS

JUNE 30, 2006

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OFFICIALS

Name	<u>Title</u>	Term Expires
	BOARD OF EDUCATION	
	(Before September, 2005 Election)	
Bill Brown Jr. Rick Hopper Duane Hoffman Roger Schmitt Kevin Jensen	President Vice President	2007 2007 2005 2005 2006
	(After September, 2005 Election)	
Bill Brown Jr. Rick Hopper Duane Hoffman Roger Schmitt Kevin Jensen	President Vice President	2007 2007 2008 2008 2006

SCHOOL OFFICIALS

Dan Mart Superintendent

Lisa Chapman District Secretary/
Treasurer

Independent Auditor's Report

To The Board of Education of the Graettinger Community School District:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Graettinger Community School District, Graettinger, Iowa, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2006, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of District officials. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards, and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Graettinger Community School District as of June 30, 2006, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, for the year then ended in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

In accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, we have also issued our report dated November 13, 2006 on our consideration of Graettinger Community School District's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u> and should be read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audit.

Management's Discussion and Analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages 4 through 12 and 31 thru 32 are not required parts of the basic financial statements, but are supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. We did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Graettinger Community School District's basic financial statements. The financial statements for the three years ended June 30, 2005 (none of which are presented herein) were audited by other auditors who expressed unqualified opinions on those financial statements. Other supplementary information included in Schedules 1 through 4, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

BRUCE D. FRINK
Certified Public Accountant

November 13, 2006

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Graettinger Community School District provides this Management's Discussion and Analysis of its financial statements. This narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities is for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2006. We encourage readers to consider this information in conjunction with the District's financial statements, which follow.

2006 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- General Fund revenues increased from \$2,652,084 in fiscal 2005 to \$2,856,616 in fiscal 2006, while General Fund expenditures increased from \$2,490,266 in fiscal year 2005 to \$2,739,106 in fiscal 2006.
- The increase in both revenues and expenditures was due primarily to increased tuition and designated funds from the state.
- The District collects School Infrastructure Local Option Sales Tax from Palo Alto, and Emmett Counties. This money is being used for infrastructure purposes.
- The District began a preschool in 2005 in hopes of increasing future enrollment.

USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT

The annual report consists of a series of financial statements and other information, as follows:

Management's Discussion and Analysis introduces the basic financial statements and provides an analytical overview of the District's financial activities.

The government-wide Financial Statements consist of a Statement of Net Assets and a Statement of Activities. These provide information about the activities of Graettinger Community School District as a whole and present on overall view of the District's finances.

The Fund Financial Statements tell how governmental services were financed in the short term as well as what remains for future spending. Fund financial statements report Graettinger Community School District operations in more detail than the government-wide statements by providing information about the most significant funds. The remaining statements provide financial information about activities for which Graettinger Community School District acts solely as an agent or custodian for the benefit of those outside of County government.

Notes to financial statements provide additional information essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the basic financial statements.

Required Supplementary Information further explains and supports the financial statements with a comparison of the District's budget for the year.

Other Supplementary Information provides detailed information about the non-major Special Revenue Funds. In addition, the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards provides details of various programs benefiting the District.

Figure A-1 shows how the various parts of this annual report are arranged and relate to one another.

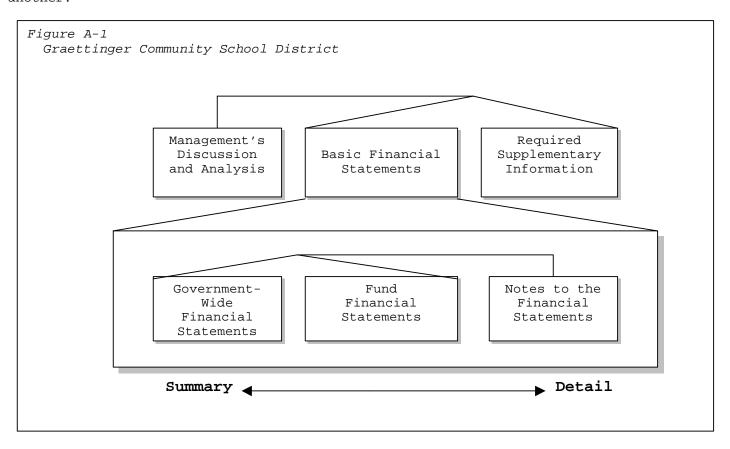


Figure A-2 summarizes the major features of the District's financial statements, including the portion of the District's activities they cover and the types of information they contain.

Figure A-2
Major Features of the Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

	Government-wide	Fund Financial Statements				
	Statements	Governmental Funds	Proprietary Funds	Fiduciary Funds		
Scope	Entire District (except fiduciary funds)	The activities of the District that are not proprietary or fiduciary, such as special education and building maintenance	Activities the District operates similar to private businesses; food services and adult education	Instances in which the district administers resources on behalf of someone else, such as scholarship programs		
Required financial statements	• Statement of net assets • Statement of activities	Balance sheet Statement of revenues expenditures, and changes in fund balances	• Statement of net assets • Statement of revenues, expenses and changes in fund net assets • Statement of cash flows	• Statement of fiduciary net assets • Statement of changes in fiduciary net assets		
Accounting basis and measurement focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Modified accrual accounting and current financial resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus		
Type of asset/ liability information	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, short-term and long-term	Generally, assets expected to be used up and liabilities that come due during the year or soon thereafter; no capital assets or long-term liabilities included	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, short-term and long-term	All assets and liabilities, both short-term and long-term; funds do not currently contain capital assets, although they can		
Type of inflow/outflow information	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	Revenues for which cash is received during or soon after the end of the year; expenditures when goods or services have been received and the related liability is due during the year or soon thereafter	All revenues and expenses during the year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	All additions and deductions during the year, regardless of when cash is received or paid		

REPORTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

Government-wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements report information about the District as a whole using accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. The Statement of Net Assets includes all of the District's assets and liabilities. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are accounted for in the Statement of Activities, regardless of when cash is received or paid.

The two government-wide statements report the District's net assets and how they have changed. Net assets – the difference between the District's assets and liabilities – is one way to measure the District's financial health or financial position. Over time, increases or decreases in the District's net assets are an indicator of whether financial position is improving or deteriorating. To assess the District's overall health, additional non-financial factors, such as changes in the District's property tax base and the condition of school buildings and other facilities, need to be considered.

In the government-wide financial statements, the District's activities are divided into two categories:

- Governmental activities: Most of the District's basic services are included here, such as regular and special education, transportation and administration. Property tax and state aid finance most of these activities.
- Business type activities: The District charges fees to help cover the costs of certain services it provides. The District's school nutrition program is included here.

Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the District's funds, focusing on its most significant or "major" funds - not the District as a whole. Funds are accounting devices the District uses to keep track of specific sources of funding and spending on particular programs.

Some funds are required by state law and by bond covenants. The District establishes other funds to control and manage money for particular purposes, such as accounting for student activity funds or to show that it is properly using certain revenues, such as federal grants.

The District has three kinds of funds:

1) Governmental funds: Most of the District's basic services are included in governmental funds, which generally focus on (1) how much cash and other financial assets can readily be converted to cash flow in and out and (2) the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. Consequently, the governmental funds statements provide a detailed short-term view that helps the reader determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the District's programs.

The District's governmental funds include the General Fund, Special Revenue Funds and Capital Projects Fund.

The required financial statements for governmental funds include a balance sheet and a statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances.

The required financial statements for proprietary funds include a statement of revenues, expenses, changes in net assets and a statement of cash flows.

2) Proprietary funds: Services for which the District charges a fee are generally reported in proprietary funds. Proprietary funds are reported in the same way as the government-wide statements. The District's Enterprise Funds, one type of proprietary fund, are the same as its business type activities but provide more detail and additional information, such as cash flows. The District currently has one enterprise fund, the School Nutrition Fund.

- 3) Fiduciary *funds*: The District is the trustee, or fiduciary, for assets that belong to others. These funds include Private-Purpose Trust Funds.
 - Private-Purpose Trust Fund The District accounts for outside donations for scholarships for individual students in this fund.

The District is responsible for ensuring the assets reported in the fiduciary funds are used only for their intended purposes and by those to whom the assets belong. The District excludes these activities from the government-wide financial statements because it cannot use these assets to finance its operations.

The required financial statements for fiduciary funds includes a statement of fiduciary net assets and a statement of changes in fiduciary net assets.

Reconciliations between the government-wide financial statements and the fund financial statements follow the fund financial statements.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Net assets - Figure A-3 below provides a summary of the District's net assets for the year ended June 30, 2006 compared to June 30, 2005.

Figure A-3
Condensed Statement of Net Assets
(expressed in thousands)

	(expressed in thousands)							
	Governm	mental	Busines	s-type	Tot	al	Percentage	
	Activi	lties	Activi	ties	School D	Change		
	June	30,	June 30,		June 30,		June 30,	
	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2005-2006	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$		
Current assets	1,932	1,797	29	21	1,961	1,818	7.87%	
Capital assets	1,312	1,338			1,312	1,338	- <u>1.94</u> %	
Total assets	3,244	3,135	29	21	3,273	3,156	<u>3.71</u> %	
Current liabilities	991	1,151	_	_	991	1,151	-13.90%	
Non-current liabilities		3				3	0.00%	
Total liabilities	991	1,154			991	1,154	- <u>14.12</u> %	
Net Assets								
Invested in capital assets,								
net of related debt	1,312	1,338	-	-	1,312	1,338	-1.94%	
Restricted	262	101	_	_	262	101	159.41%	
Unrestricted	679	542	29	21	708	563	<u>25.75</u> %	
Total net assets	2,253	1,981	29	21	2,282	2,002	13.99%	

The District's combined net assets increased by 14%, or approximately \$80,000 over the prior year. The largest portion of the District's net assets are invested in cash and capital assets.

Unrestricted net assets - the part of net assets that can be used to finance day-to-day operations without constraints established by debt covenants, enabling legislation or other legal requirements - increased approximately \$117,000 or 25%. This growth was due in large part to additional grant revenues as well as controlled increases in spending.

Changes in net assets - figure A-4 shows the changes in net assets for the years ended June 30, 2006 and 2005.

Figure A-4
Change in Net Assets
(Expressed in Thousands)

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Governmental		Business-type		Sch	ool	Total	
Activ	ities	Activ	ities	District		Change	
2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2005-06	
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	%	
734	542	90	76	824	618	33.33%	
519	225	55	57	574	282	103.55%	
946	937	_	_	946	937	0.96%	
140	113	-	-	140	113	23.89%	
899	1,091	_	_	899	1,091	-17.60%	
124	148			124	148	- <u>16.22</u> %	
3,362	3,056	145	133	3,507	3,189	9.97%	
2,202	2,028	_	_	2,202	2,028	8.58%	
665	642	_	_	665	642	3.58%	
_	_	137	127	137	127	7.87%	
223	88			223	88	<u>153.41</u> %	
3,090	2,758	137	127	3,227	2,885	<u>11.85</u> %	
272	298	8	6	280	304	- <u>7.89</u> %	
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Property tax and unrestricted state grants account for 53% of the total revenue. The District's expenses primarily relate to instruction and support services which account for 89% of the total expenses.

Governmental Activities

Revenues for governmental activities were \$3,361,396 and expenses were \$3,089,726.

The following table presents the total and net cost of the District's major governmental activities: instruction, support services, non-instructional programs and other expenses.

Figure A-5
Total and Net Cost of Governmental Activities
(Expressed in Thousands)

	(Expressed in incusands)					
	Total (Total Cost		Net C	ost	Net
	of Services		Change	of Ser	Change	
	2006	2005	2005-06	2006	2005	2005-06
	\$	\$		\$	\$	
Instruction	2,202	2,028	8.58%	1,197	886	35.10%
Support Services	665	642	3.58%	558	424	31.60%
Other expenses	223	88	153.41%		12	- <u>100.00</u> %
Totals	3,090	2,758	12.04%	1,755	1,322	<u>32.75</u> %

- The cost financed by users of the District's programs was \$734,280.
- Federal and state governments subsidized certain programs with grants and contributions totaling \$301,533.
- The net cost of governmental activities was financed with \$823,422 in property and other taxes and \$898,788 in unrestricted state grants.

Business Type Activities

Revenues for business type activities were \$145,700 and expenses were \$137,388. The District's business type activities include the School Nutrition Fund and a Preschool Fund. Revenues of these activities were comprised of charges for service, federal and state reimbursements and investment income.

During the year ended June 30, 2006, the District held meal prices along with daycare and preschool rates steady. The District began the preschool program in fiscal year 2006 in an effort to increase future enrollment.

INDIVIDUAL FUND ANALYSIS

As previously noted, Graettinger Community School District uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

The financial performance of the District as a whole is reflected in its governmental funds, as well. As the District completed the year, its governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of 2,252,988, a 14% increase over last year's ending fund balances of \$1,981,318.

Governmental Fund Highlights

- The District's General Fund financial status has improved again this year. The District carefully monitors discretionary spending to avoid decreases in fund balances. This becomes more difficult every year due to state's decision to remove the budget guarantee.
- The Physical Plant and Equipment Levy (PPEL levy) held steady as a result of the District using available funds for a variety of projects.
- The Capital Projects fund increased in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2006. This money can be used for many of the same purposes as the District's PPEL levy. The District is currently using these funds for infrastructure projects.

Proprietary Fund Highlights

Beginning in the 2005-2006 school year a fund was established for a preschool operated by the District. It is hoped that this will assist in maintaining future enrollment.

BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

The District's receipts were \$401,030 more than budgeted receipts. The most significant variance resulted from the District receiving more in tuition than originally anticipated.

Total expenditures were less than budgeted, due primarily to the District's budget for the General Fund. It is the District's practice to budget expenditures at the maximum authorized spending authority for the General Fund. The District then manages or controls General Fund spending through its line-item budget. As a result, the District's certified budget should always exceed actual expenditures for the year.

CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets

At June 30, 2006, the District had invested \$1,311,787, net of accumulated depreciation, in a broad range of capital assets, including land, buildings, athletic facilities, computers, audio-visual equipment and transportation equipment. (See Figure A-6) This represents a net increase of 20% from last year. More detailed information about the District's capital assets is presented in Note 3 to the financial statements. Depreciation expense for the year was \$107,668.

The original cost of the District's capital assets was \$2,864,416. Governmental funds account for \$2,844,580, with the remainder of \$19,836 accounted for in the Proprietary, School Nutrition Fund.

The largest change in capital asset activity during the year occurred in the buildings and transportation categories. The District spent over \$80,000 on a variety of building projects and equipment purchases.

Figure A-6
Condensed Statement of Net Assets
(expressed in thousands)

	(expressed in chousands)						
	Governmental		Business-type		Total		Total
	Activ	ities	Activities		School District		Change
	June	June 30,		June 30,		June 30,	
	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2005-2006
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Land	7	7	_	-	7	7	0.00%
Buildings	225	187	_	_	225	187	20.32%
Improvements other than buildings	31	13	_	_	31	13	138.46%
Furniture and equipment	62	63			62	63	- <u>1.59</u> %
Totals	325	270			325	270	<u>20.37</u> %

Long-Term Debt

The District has no long-term debt.

ECONOMIC FACTORS BEARING ON THE DISTRICT'S FUTURE

At the time these financial statements were prepared and audited, the District was aware of existing circumstances that could significantly affect its financial health in the future:

- Declining enrollment and the effects of the removal of the 100% budget guarantee will require due diligence out the part of the administration and board of education.
- The District receives sharing dollars from the Terril District. This is just one way that the District is working to expand educational programs.
- Adequate allowable growth is a necessity in order for the District to properly maintain its educational opportunities.

CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers, investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to demonstrate the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact Lisa Chapman, District Secretary/Treasurer, Graettinger Community School District, 400 W Lost Island St, Graettinger, IA 51342.



Statement of Net Assets

June 30, 2006

	Governmental Activities	Business Type _Activities	Total
	\$	\$	\$
Assets			
Cash and pooled investments	829,769	24,082	853,851
Receivables:			
Property tax:			
Current year	13,998	-	13,998
Succeeding year	843,284	-	843,284
Income surtax - succeeding year	91,026	-	91,026
Due from other governments	5,780	-	5,780
Other receivables	148,326	-	148,326
Inventories	-	4,968	4,968
Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation	1,311,787		1,311,787
Total assets	3,243,970	29,050	3,273,020
Liabilities			
Accounts payable	88,740	-	88,740
Payroll benefits payable	42,118	-	42,118
Deferred revenue:			
Succeeding year property tax	843,284	-	843,284
Federal programs	16,840		16,840
Total liabilities	990,982		974,142
Net assets			
Invested in capital assets	1,311,787	_	1,311,787
Restricted for:			
Management levy	17,316	_	17,316
Student activities	51,978	_	51,978
Physical plant and equipment levy	18,021	-	18,021
Capital projects	175,149	-	175,149
Unrestricted	678,737	29,050	707,787
Total net assets	2,252,988	29,050	2,282,038

Statement of Activities

Year ended June 30, 2006

		Progr	am Revenues			
	Expenses	Charges for Service	Operating Grants, Contributions and Restricted Interest	Governmental Activities	Business Type Activities	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Functions/Programs						
Governmental activities:						
Instruction:	2,201,515	683,586	411,365	(1,106,564)	<u> </u>	(1,106,564)
Support services:						
Student services	10,520	_	-	(10,520)	-	(10,520)
Instructional staff services	53,397	_	-	(53,397)	_	(53,397)
Administration services	302,395	50,694	-	(251,701)	-	(251,701)
Operation and maintenance of						
plant services	205,730	_	26,800	(178,930)	-	(178,930)
Transportation services	93,226			(93,226)		(93,226)
	665,268	50,694	26,800	(587,774)		(587,774)
Other expenditures:						
AEA flowthrough	80,572	_	80,572	_	_	_
Facilities acquisition and construction	34,703	_	_	(34,703)	_	(34,703)
Depreciation (unallocated)*	107,668			(107,668)		(107,668)
	222,943		80,572	(142,371)		(142,371)
Total governmental activities	3,089,726	734,280	518,737	(1,836,709)	-	(1,836,709)

Statement of Activities

Year ended June 30, 2006

		Progr	am Revenues	_		
	Expenses	Charges for Service	Operating Grants, Contributions and Restricted Interest	Governmental Activities	Business Type Activities	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Business type activities: Non-instructional programs:						
Nutrition and day care services	137,388	90,279	55,421		8,312	8,312
Total	3,227,114	824,559	574,158	(1,836,709)	8,312	(1,828,397)
General revenues:						
Property tax levied for:						
General purposes				740,676	-	740,676
Management fund				60,033	_	60,033
Capital outlay				22,713	_	22,713
Income surtaxes collected for:						
General purposes				84,828	-	84,828
Capital outlay				37,278		
Sales tax collected for:						
Capital outlay				139,973	_	139,973
Unrestricted state grants				898,788	_	898,788
Unrestricted investment earnings				19,081	_	19,081
Other				105,009		105,009
Total general revenue				2,108,379		2,071,101
Change in net assets				271,670	8,312	242,704
Net assets beginning of year				1,981,318	20,738	2,002,056
Net assets end of year				2,252,988	29,050	2,244,760

^{*} This amount excludes the depreciation that is included in the direct expenses of the various programs

See notes to financial statements.

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Balance Sheet Governmental Funds

June 30, 2006

	General \$	Physical Plant and Equipment Levy	Capital Projects \$	Nonmajor Governmental Funds \$	Total \$
Assets					
Cash and pooled investments Receivables: Property tax:	594,568	17,491	152,677	65,033	829,769
Current year	12,458	530	_	1,010	13,998
Succeeding year	740,688	42,596	_	60,000	843,284
Income surtax - succeeding year	60,684	30,342	_	-	91,026
Due from other governments	5,780	-	_	_	5,780
Other receivables	117,432	_	26,966	3,928	148,326
Total assets	1,531,610	90,959	179,643	129,971	1,932,183
Liabilities and Fund Balances					
Liabilities:					
Accounts payable	83,569	-	4,494	677	88,740
Payroll benefits payable Deferred revenue:	42,118	-	-	-	42,118
Succeeding year property tax	740,688	42,596	_	60,000	843,284
Succeeding year income surtax	60,684	30,342	-	-	91,026
Federal programs	16,840				16,840
Total liabilities	943,899	72,938	4,494	60,677	1,082,008
Fund balances:					
Reserved for capital projects	_	_	175,149	_	175,149
Unreserved	587,711	18,021	_	69,294	675,026
Total fund balances	587,711	18,021	175,149	69,294	850,175
Total liabilities and fund balances	1,531,610	90,959	179,643	129,971	1,932,183

Reconciliation of the Balance Sheet - Governmental Funds to the Statement of Net Assets

June 30, 2006

Total fund balances of governmental funds (Exhibit C)	\$	850,175
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets are different because:		
Income surtax receivable at June 30, 2006 is not recognized as income until received in the governmental funds, however it is shown as a revenue in the Statement of Activities.		91,026
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as assets in the governmental funds.		1,311,787
Net assets of governmental activities (Exhibit A)	\$ 2	2,252,988

Year ended June 30, 2006

	General	Physical Plant and Equipment Levy	Capital Projects	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Revenues:					
Local sources:					
Local tax	825,504	59,991	139,973	60,033	1,085,501
Tuition	561,756	_	-	-	561,756
Other	205,588	9,675	_	126,957	342,220
State sources	1,149,201	-	_	41	1,149,242
Federal sources	114,567	17,084			131,651
Total revenues	2,856,616	86,750	139,973	187,031	3,270,370
Expenditures:					
Instruction:	2,033,403			168,112	2,201,515
Support services:					
Student services	10,520	_	_	-	10,520
Instructional staff services	38,444	14,953	_	-	53,397
Administration services	284,511	20,972	_	-	305,483
Operation and maintenance of					
plant services	198,779	19,128	_	32,820	250,727
Transportation services	92,877			349	93,226
	625,131	55,053		33,169	713,353
Other expenditures					
AEA flowthrough	80,572	_	_	-	80,572
Facilities acquisition		21 120	20 511		70.040
and construction		31,138	39,711		70,849
	80,572	31,138	39,711		151,421
Total expenditures	2,739,106	86,191	39,711	201,281	3,066,289
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Excess (deficiency) of revenues					
over (under) expenditures	117,510	559	100,262	(14,250)	204,081
o.or (anacr) corpellateares	11,710	337	100,202	(11,250)	201,001
Fund balances beginning of year	470,201	17,462	74,887	83,544	646,094
Fund balances end of year	587,711	18,021	175,149	69,294	850,175

Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and
Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds
to the Statement of Activities

Year ended June 30, 2006

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds (Exhibit E)

\$ 204,081

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:

Income surtax receivable at June 30, 2006 is not recognized as income until received in the governmental funds, however it is shown as a revenue in the Statement of Activities.

91,026

Capital outlays to purchase or build capital assets are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, those costs are reported in the Statement of Net Assets and are allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense in the Statement of Activities. The amounts of capital outlays and depreciation expense in the year are as follows:

Capital outlays
Depreciation expense

\$ 81,143

(107,668)

(26,525)

Some expenses reported in the Statement of Activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in the governmental funds, as follows:

Compensated absences

3,088

Change in net assets of governmental activities (Exhibit B)

271,670

Combining Statement of Net Assets
Proprietary Funds

June 30, 2006

	School Nutrition	Preschool	Total
	\$	\$	
Assets			
Cash and pooled investments	17,058	7,024	24,082
Inventories	4,968		4,968
Total assets	22,026	7,024	29,050
Net assets			
Unrestricted	22,026	7,024	29,050
Total net assets	22,026	7,024	29,050

Year ended June 30, 2006

	School		
	Nutrition	Preschool	Total
	\$		
Operating revenue:			
Local sources:			
Charges for services	63,530	26,749	90,279
Operating expenses:			
Non-instructional programs:			
Food service operations:			
Salaries	48,213	_	48,213
Benefits	11,096	_	11,096
Services	450	_	450
Supplies	57,904	_	57,904
Total operating expenses	117,663		117,663
Community service programs:			
Salaries	-	16,133	16,133
Benefits	-	3,056	3,056
Supplies		536	536
	<u> </u>	19,725	19,725
Total operating expenses	117,663	19,725	137,388
Operating profit (loss)	(54,133)	7,024	(47,109)
operating profite (1000)	(31/133/		(1,110)
Non-operating revenues:			
Interest	128	_	128
State sources	6,157	-	6,157
Federal sources	49,136		49,136
	55,421		55,421
Change in net assets	1,288	7,024	8,312
Net assets beginning of year	20,738	<u> </u>	20,738
Net assets end of year	22,026	7,024	29,050

Combining Statement of Cash Flows
Proprietary Funds

Year ended June 30, 2006

	School Nutrition	Preschool	Total
	\$	\$	\$
Cash flows from operating activities:			
Cash received from sale of services	63,797	26,749	90,546
Cash payments to employees for services	(59,309)	(19,189)	(78,498)
Cash payments to suppliers for goods or services	(49,304)	(536)	(49,840)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(44,816)	7,024	(37,792)
Cash flows from non-capital financing activities:			
State grants received	6,157	_	6,157
Federal grants received	40,132	=	40,132
Net cash provided by non-capital financing activities	46,289		46,289
			_
Cash flows from investing activities:			
Interest on investments	128		128
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	1,601	7,024	8,625
Cash and cash equivalents beginning of year	15,457		15,457
Cash and cash equivalents end of year	17,058	7,024	24,082
Reconciliation of operating income (loss) to			
net cash used in operating activities:			
Operating income (loss)	(54,133)	7,024	(47,109)
Adjustments to reconcile operating profit (loss) to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:	(01,100,	,,021	(1,120)
Commodities used	9,004	_	9,004
Increase in other receivables	267	_	267
Decrease in inventory	46	_	46
-	(44,816)	7,024	(37,792)
	_		-
Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents at year end to specific assets included on Combined Balance Sheet:			
Current assets:			
Cash	17,058	7,024	24,082

Non-cash investing, capital and financing activities:

During the year ended June 30, 2006, the District received federal commodities valued at \$9,004.

Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Assets $\hbox{Fiduciary Funds}$

Year ended June 30, 2006

	Private Purpose
	_Trust_Fund_
	\$
Additions:	
Local sources:	
Interest on investments	<u></u>
Total additions	_ _
Deductions:	
Support services:	
Scholarships	4,600
Total deductions	4,600
Change in net assets	(4,600)
Net assets beginning of year	4,600
Net assets end of year	

Notes to Financial Statements

June 30, 2006

(1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Graettinger Community School District is a political subdivision of the State of Iowa and operates public schools for children in grades kindergarten through twelve. Additionally, the District either operates or sponsors summer recreational activities. The geographic area served includes the Cities of Graettinger, Iowa, and agricultural area in Palo Alto and Emmett Counties. The District is governed by a Board of Education whose members are elected on a non-partisan basis. The District also contracts, as explained in note 6, with the Terril Community School District to educate students in grades five through twelve.

The District's financial statements are prepared in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board.

A. Reporting Entity

For financial reporting purposes, Graettinger Community School District has included all funds, organizations, account groups, agencies, boards, commissions and authorities. The District has also considered all potential component units for which it is financially accountable and other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the District are such that exclusion would cause the District's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board has set forth criteria to be considered in determining financial accountability. These criteria include appointing a voting majority of an organization's governing body, and (1) the ability of the District to impose its will on that organization or (2) the potential for the organization to provide specific benefits to or impose specific financial burdens on the District. Graettinger Community School District has no component units which meet the Governmental Accounting Standards Board criteria.

<u>Jointly Governed Organizations</u> - The District participates in a jointly governed organization that provides services to the District but does not meet the criteria of a joint venture since there is no ongoing financial interest or responsibility by the participating governments. The District is a member of the Palo Alto and Emmett County Assessor's Conference Boards.

B. Basis of Presentation

Government-wide Financial Statements - The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the District. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by tax and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for service.

The Statement of Net Assets presents the District's nonfiduciary assets and liabilities, with the difference reported as net assets. Net assets are reported in three categories:

Invested in capital assets, net of related debt consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by outstanding balances for bonds, notes and other debt that are attributable to the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets.

Restricted net assets result when constraints placed on net asset use are either externally imposed or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Unrestricted net assets consist of net assets that do not meet the definition of the two preceding categories. Unrestricted net assets often have constraints on resources that are imposed by management which can be removed or modified.

The Statement of Activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program revenues include 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function and 2) grants, contributions and interest that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Property tax and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

Fund Financial Statements - Separate financial statements are provided for governmental, proprietary and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. All remaining governmental funds are aggregated and reported as other nonmajor governmental funds.

The District reports the following major governmental funds:

The General Fund is the general operating fund of the District. All general tax revenues and other receipts that are not allocated by law or contractual agreement to some other fund are accounted for in this fund. From the fund are paid the general operating expenses, including instructional, support and other costs.

The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for funds raised by the one cent School Infrastructure Local Option Sales Tax. These funds are being used for debt retirement and infrastructure expenses.

The Physical Plant and Equipment Levy is used to purchase equipment (over \$500 per item) and for major repairs and improvements to buildings and grounds. It is funded primarily through a combination of property tax and income surtax.

The District reports the following major proprietary funds:

The District's proprietary funds are the Enterprise, School Nutrition Fund and Preschool Fund. These funds are used to account for the food service and preschool operations of the District.

The District also reported fiduciary funds which focus on net assets and changes in net assets. the District's fiduciary funds include the following:

The Private Purpose Trust Fund is used to account for assets held by the District under trust agreements which require income earned to be used to benefit individuals through scholarship awards.

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The government-wide and the proprietary fund financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property tax is recognized as revenue in the year for which it is levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been satisfied.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected with 60 days after year end.

Property tax, intergovernmental revenues (shared revenues, grants and reimbursements from other governments) and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the District.

Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, principal and interest on long-term debt, claims and judgments, and compensated absences are recognized as expenditures only when payment is due. Capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Proceeds of general long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financial sources.

Under terms of grant agreements, the District funds certain programs by a combination of specific cost-reimbursement grants and general revenues. Thus, when program expenses are incurred, there are both restricted and unrestricted net assets available to finance the program. It is the District's policy to first apply cost-reimbursement grant resources to such programs, and then general revenues.

The proprietary funds of the District apply all applicable GASB pronouncements, as well as the following pronouncements issued on or before November 30, 1989, unless these pronouncements conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements: Financial Accounting Standards Board Statements and Interpretations, Accounting Principles Board Opinions, and Accounting Research Bulletins of the Committee on Accounting Procedure.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the District's Enterprise Funds are charges to customers for sales and services. Operating expenses for enterprise funds include the cost of sales and services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

The District maintains its financial records on the cash basis. The financial statement of the District are prepared by making memorandum adjusting entries to the cash basis financial records.

D. Assets, Liabilities and Fund Balance

The following accounting policies are followed in preparing the financial statements:

<u>Cash, Pooled Investments and Cash Equivalents</u> - The cash balances of most District funds are pooled and invested. Investments are stated at fair value except for non-negotiable certificates of deposit which are stated at cost.

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, all short-term cash investments that are highly liquid are considered to be cash equivalents. Cash equivalents are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and, at the day of purchase, they have a maturity date no longer than three months.

<u>Property Tax Receivable</u> - Property tax in governmental funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting.

Property tax receivable is recognized in these funds on the levy or lien date, which is the date that the tax asking is certified by the Board of Education. Delinquent property tax receivable represents unpaid taxes for the current and prior years. The succeeding year property tax receivable represents taxes certified by the Board of Education to be collected in the next fiscal year for the purposes set out in the budget for the next fiscal year. By statute, the District is required to certify its budget in April of each year for the subsequent fiscal year. However, by statute, the tax asking the budget certification for the following fiscal year becomes effective on the first day of that year. Although the succeeding year property tax receivable has been recorded, the related revenue is deferred in both the government-wide and fund financial statements and will not be recognized as revenue until the year for which it is levied.

Property tax revenue recognized in these funds become due and collectible in September and March of the fiscal year with a 1½% per month penalty for delinquent payments; is based on January 1, 2004 assessed property valuations; is for the tax accrual period July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2006 and reflects the tax asking contained in the budget certified to the County Board of Supervisors in April 2005.

<u>Due From Other Governments</u> - Due from other governments represents amounts due from the State of Iowa and grants from other governments.

<u>Inventories</u> - Inventories are valued at cost using the first-in, first-out method for purchased items government commodities. Inventories of proprietary funds are recorded as expenses when consumed rather than when purchased or received.

<u>Capital Assets</u> - Capital assets, which include property, furniture and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental or business type activities columns in the government-wide Statement of Net Assets. Capital assets are recorded at historical cost. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation. The costs of normal maintenance and repair that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized. Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an initial, individual cost in excess of the following thresholds and estimated useful lives in excess of two years.

Asset Class	Amount
Land	\$ 1,000
Buildings	10,000
Improvements other than buildings	1,000
Furniture and equipment:	
School Nutrition Fund equipment	1,000
Other furniture and equipment	1,000

Capital assets are depreciated using the straight line method over the following estimated useful lives:

	Estimated Useful Lives
Asset Class	(In Years)
Buildings	50 years
Improvements other than buildings	20-50 years
Furniture and equipment	5-15 years

<u>Deferred Revenue</u> - Although certain revenues are measurable, they are not available. Available means collectible within the current period or expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Deferred revenue in the governmental fund financial statements represent the amount of assets that have been recognized, but the related revenue has not been recognized since the assets are not collected within the current period or expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Deferred revenue consists of unspent grant proceeds as well as property tax receivables and other receivables not collected within sixty days after year end.

Deferred revenue on the Statement of Net Assets consists of succeeding year property tax receivable that will not be recognized as revenue until the year for which it is levied.

<u>Compensated Absences</u> - District employees accumulated a limited amount of earned but unused vacation for subsequent use or for payment upon termination, death or retirement. A liability is recorded when incurred in the government-wide financial statements. A liability for these amounts is reported in governmental funds financial statements only for employees that have resigned or retired. The compensated absences liability is deemed to be immaterial at June 30, 2006.

<u>Fund Balance</u> - In the governmental fund financial statements, reservations of fund balance are reported for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose.

<u>Restricted Net Assets</u> - In the government-wide Statement of Net Assets, net assets are reported as restricted when constraints placed on net asset use are either externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors or laws and regulations of other governments or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

E. Budgeting and Budgetary Control

The budgetary comparison and related disclosures are reported as Required Supplementary Information.

(2) Cash and Pooled Investments

The District's deposits in banks at June 30, 2006 were entirely covered by federal depository insurance or by the State Sinking Fund in accordance with Chapter 12C of the Code of Iowa. This chapter provides for additional assessments against the depositories to insure there will be no loss of public funds.

The District is authorized by statute to invest public funds in obligations of the United States government, its agencies and instrumentalities; certificates of deposit or other evidences of deposit at federally insured depository institutions approved by the Board of Education; prime eligible bankers acceptances; certain high rated commercial paper; perfected repurchase agreements; certain registered open-end management investment companies; certain joint investment trusts; and warrants or improvement certificates of a drainage district.

The District had no investments at June 30, 2006.

(3) Capital Assets

	Balance			Balance
	Beginning			End of
	of Year	Increases	Decreases	Year
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Governmental activities:				
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	87,252	1,575		88,827
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Buildings and improvements	1,616,757	34,571	_	1,651,328
Furniture and Equipment	1,059,428	44,997	-	1,104,425
Total capital assets being depreciated	2,676,185	79,568		2,755,753
Tana and and and an analysis of the same				
Less accumulated depreciation for:	026 640	25 520		072 100
Buildings and improvements Furniture and Equipment	836,649	35,539	_	872,188 660,605
	588,476	72,129		·
Total accumulated depreciation	1,425,125	107,668		1,532,793
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	1,251,060	(28,100)		1,222,960
Governmental activities, capital assets, net	1,338,312	(26,525)		1,311,787
Business type activities:				
Furniture and equipment	19,836	_	_	19,836
Less accumulated depreciation	19,836		_	19,836
Business type activities capital assets, net		_	_	
Depreciation expense was charged to the following	ng functions:			
Governmental activities:				
Unallocated				107,668
				107,668
Business Type activities				
Food service operations				_

(4) Pension and Retirement Benefits

The District contributes to the Iowa Public Employees Retirement System (IPERS) which is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the State of Iowa. IPERS provides retirement and death benefits which are established by state statute to plan members and beneficiaries. IPERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. The report may be obtained by writing to IPERS, PO Box 9117, Des Moines, Iowa, 50306-9117.

Plan members are required to contribute 3.70% of their annual salary and the District is required to contribute 5.75% of annual payroll. Contribution requirements are established by State statute. The District's contribution to IPERS for the years ended June 30, 2006, 2005, and 2004 were \$72,577, \$69,924, and \$67,248 respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year.

(5) Area Education Agency

The District is required by the Code of Iowa to budget for its share of special education support, media and educational services provided through the area education agency. The District's actual amount for this purpose totaled \$80,572 for year ended June 30, 2006 and is recorded in the General Fund by making a memorandum adjusting entry to the cash basis financial statements.

(6) Two-Way Whole Grade Sharing

The District has entered into a contract with Terril Community School District to complete the academic and extra-curricular needs of students in grades six through twelve. All regular education students in grades nine through twelve will attend the Graettinger Community School District. All regular education students in grades six through eight will attend the Terril Community School District.

(7) Related Transactions

The District has transaction between the District and District officials totaled \$300 during the year ended June 30, 2006.



Budgetary Comparison Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Balances - Budget and Actual - All Governmental Funds and Proprietary Funds

Required Supplementary Information

Year ended June 30, 2006

Final to

	Governmental Fund Types	Proprietary Fund Type	Total	Budgeted	Amounts	Actual Variance - Positive
	Actual	Actual	Actual	Original	Final	(Negative)
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Revenues:						
Local sources	1,989,477	90,407	2,079,884	1,561,320	1,561,320	518,564
State sources	1,149,242	6,157	1,155,399	1,186,720	1,186,720	(31,321)
Federal sources	131,651	49,136	180,787	267,000	267,000	(86,213)
Total revenues	3,270,370	145,700	3,416,070	3,015,040	3,015,040	401,030
Expenditures:						
Instruction	2,201,515	_	2,201,515	2,447,803	2,447,803	246,288
Support services	713,353	_	713,353	767,600	767,600	54,247
Non-instructional programs	_	137,388	137,388	155,000	155,000	17,612
Other expenditures	151,421		151,421	168,533	168,533	17,112
Total expenditures	3,066,289	137,388	3,203,677	3,538,936	3,538,936	335,259
Excess (deficiency) of revenues						
over (under) expenditures	204,081	8,312	212,393	(523,896)	(523,896)	736,289
Other financing sources (uses)				(45,000)	(45,000)	45,000
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other financing sources over (under)						
expenditures and other financing uses	204,081	8,312	212,393	(568,896)	(568,896)	781,289
Balance beginning of year	646,094	20,738	666,832	690,184	690,184	(23,352)
Balance end of year	850,175	29,050	879,225	121,288	121,288	757,937

Notes to Required Supplementary Information - Budgetary Reporting

Year ended June 30, 2006

This budgetary comparison is presented as Required Supplementary Information in accordance with <u>Governmental Accounting Standard Board</u> Statement No. 41 for governments with significant budgetary perspective differences resulting from not being able to present budgetary comparisons for the General Fund and each major Special Revenue Fund.

In accordance with the Code of Iowa, the Board of Education annually adopts a budget following required public notice and hearing for all funds, except Private Purpose Trust and Agency Funds. The budget may be amended during the year utilizing similar statutorily prescribed procedures. The District's budget is prepared on a GAAP basis.

Formal and legal budgetary control for the certified budget is based upon four major classes of expenditures known as functions, not by fund. These four functions are instruction, support services, non-instructional programs and other expenditures. Although the budget document presents function expenditures or expenses by fund, the legal level of control is at the aggregated functional level, not by fund. The Code of Iowa also provides that District expenditures in the General Fund may not exceed the amount authorized by the school finance formula.

During the year ended June 30, 2006, expenditures did not exceed the amount budgeted in any of the four functions. The District did not exceed its General Fund unspent authorized budget.



Combining Balance Sheet Nonmajor Governmental Funds

June 30, 2006

	Student			
	Management	Activity	Total	
	\$	\$	\$	
Assets				
Cash and pooled investments Property tax receivable:	16,306	48,727	65,033	
Current year	1,010	_	1,010	
Succeeding year	60,000	_	60,000	
Other receivables		3,928	3,928	
Total assets	77,316	52,655	129,971	
Liabilities and Fund Balances				
Liabilities:				
Accounts payable	-	677	677	
Deferred revenue:				
Succeeding year property tax	60,000		60,000	
	60,000	677	60,677	
Fund balances:				
Unreserved fund balance	17,316	51,978	69,294	
	17,316	51,978	69,294	
Total liabilities and fund balances	77,316	52,655	129,971	

Combining Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances

Nonmajor Governmental Funds

Year ended June 30, 2006

	Student		
	Management	<u>Activity</u>	Total
	\$	\$	\$
Revenues:			
Local sources:			
Local tax	60,033	-	60,033
Other	-	126,957	126,957
State sources	41		41
Total revenues	60,074	126,957	187,031
Expenditures:			
Instruction:	42,107	126,005	168,112
Support services:	22 020		22 020
Plant operation and maintenance Student transportation	32,820 349		32,820
Total expenditures	75,276	126,005	201,281
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over			
(under) expenditures	(15,202)	952	(14,250)
Fund balances beginning of year	32,518	51,026	83,544
Balance end of year	17,316	51,978	69,294

Schedule of Changes in Special Revenue Fund, Student Activity Accounts

Year ended June 30, 2006

	Balance Beginning			Balance End of
Account	of Year	Revenues	Expenditures	Year
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Athletic	24,779	55,605	57,276	23,108
Student Council	7,580	10,572	11,884	6,268
FFA	2,081	25,283	22,614	4,750
Cheerleaders	430	1,032	1,415	47
National Honor Society	1,127	2,481	2,457	1,151
Speech/Drama	216	60	23	253
Class of 2006	3,074	-	3,074	_
Class of 2007	705	10,622	9,184	2,143
Class of 2008	_	659	82	577
Class of 2009	_	200	-	200
Elementary	80	1,003	845	238
Yearbook/Annual	2,162	5,335	5,729	1,768
Band	56	577	577	56
Vocal	319	3,088	2,557	850
Library	118	64	-	182
Miscellaneous	6,853	5,612	5,836	6,629
Interest	164	366	21	509
Office	809	1,847	276	2,380
Art	146	250	7	389
Play	327	2,301	2,148	480
Total	51,026	126,957	126,005	51,978

Schedule of Revenues by Source All Governmental Funds

For the Last Four Years

	Modified Accrual Basis			
_	2006	2005	2004	2003
_	\$	\$	\$	\$
Local sources:				
Property tax	808,650	835,892	994,291	808,936
Utility tax replacement excise tax	25,910	26,431	24,206	21,754
School Infrastructure Local Option Sales Tax	90,866	37,391	16,218	20,407
Mobile home tax	19	244	210	166
Income surtax	65,751	62,926	58,066	59,256
	991,196	962,884	1,092,991	910,519
State sources:				
State foundation aid	471,912	504,513	446,229	615,651
Instructional support state aid	4,576	5,307	5,024	6,238
Shelter care/juvenile home aid	_	_	_	2,887
Education Excellence Program:				·
Phase I	4,223	3,971	4,316	4,348
Phase II	13,508	14,430	15,527	17,966
Phase III	_	_	_	4,464
Iowa Early Intervention Block Grant	8,292	9,804	8,292	8,903
AEA flow-through	63,489	64,025	65,333	72,373
Nonpublic transportation	352	323	319	_
Revenue in lieu of taxes - military credit	539	1,374	570	569
Teacher Quality/Salary Improvement	18,920	16,012	15,743	14,712
Evaluator training	_	_	1,000	-
Professional development	6,172	_	-	-
Teacher mentoring	1,300	_	-	
Other state aid				1,302
	593,283	619,759	562,353	749,413
Federal sources:				
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies	33,744	34,144	33,797	33,080
Innovative Education Program Strategies	877	743	_	761
Improving Teacher Quality - Grants to States	7,791	7,865	7,851	8,030
Special Education - Grants to States	9,318	9,284	15,712	5,301
Safe and Drug Free Schools and Communities	_	1,224	_	1,285
Rural Education Achievment Program	6,466	20,318	15,536	18,964
Star Schools	3,076	21,839	_	_
Grants for Assessments and Related Activities	497	822	2,513	_
Child Care Initiative	20,555	_	-	-
Other			<u> </u>	561
	82,324	96,239	75,409	67,982
Total	1,666,803	1,678,882	1,730,753	1,727,914

Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards

To the Board of Education of the Graettinger Community School District:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Graettinger Community School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2006, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements listed in the table of contents, and have issued our report thereon dated November 13, 2006. We conducted our audit in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Graettinger Community School District's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting. However, we noted certain matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be reportable conditions. Reportable conditions involve matters coming to our attention relating to significant deficiencies in the design or operation of the internal control over financial reporting that, in our judgment, could adversely affect the District's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial data consistent with the assertions of management in the financial statements. Reportable conditions are described in Part I of the accompanying Schedule of Findings.

A material weakness is a reportable condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements caused by error or fraud in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be reportable conditions and, accordingly, would not necessarily disclose all reportable conditions that are also considered to be material weaknesses. However, of the reportable conditions described above, we believe item 06-I-A is a material weakness.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Graettinger Community School District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, non-compliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of non-compliance or other matters that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards.

Comments involving statutory and other legal matters about the District's operations for the year ended June 30, 2006 are based exclusively on knowledge obtained from procedures performed during our audit of the financial statements of the District. Since our audit was based on tests and samples, not all transactions that might have had an impact on the comments were necessarily audited. The comments involving statutory and other legal matters are not intended to constitute legal interpretations of those statutes.

This report, a public record by law, is intended solely for the information and use of the officials, employees and citizens of Graettinger Community School District and other parties to whom Graettinger Community School District may report, including federal awarding agencies and pass through entities. This report is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

We would like to acknowledge the many courtesies and assistance extended to us by personnel of Graettinger Community School District during the course of our audit. Should you have any questions concerning any of the above matters, we shall be pleased to discuss them with you at your convenience.

BRUCE D. FRINK
Certified Public Accountant

November 13, 2006

Schedule of Findings

Year ended June 30, 2006

Part I: Findings Related to the General Purpose Financial Statements:

INSTANCES OF NON-COMPLIANCE:

No matters were reported.

REPORTABLE CONDITIONS:

06-I-A SEGREGATION OF DUTIES

<u>Comment</u> - During our review of the internal control structure, the existing procedures are evaluated in order to determine that incompatible duties, from a control standpoint, are not performed by the same employee. This segregation of duties helps to prevent losses from employee error or dishonesty and therefore maximizes the accuracy of the District's financial statements. We noted that one individual has custody of receipts and performs all record-keeping and reconciling functions for the office.

<u>Recommendation</u> - We realize that with a limited number of office employees, segregation of duties is difficult. However, the District should review the operating procedures of the office to obtain the maximum internal control possible under the circumstances.

Response - We will review procedures and investigate available alternatives.

<u>Conclusion</u> - Response accepted.

Part II: Other Findings Related to Required Statutory Reporting:

- 06-II-A Official Depositories Official depositories have been approved by the District.

 The maximum deposit amounts approved were not exceeded during the year ended June 30, 2006.
- O6-II-B <u>Certified Budget</u> Expenditures for the year ended June 30, 2006, did not exceed the amounts budgeted.
- O6-II-C <u>Questionable Expenditures</u> No expenditures that may not meet the requirements of public purpose as defined in an Attorney General's opinion dated April 25, 1979 were noted.
- O6-II-D Travel Expense No expenditures of District money for travel expenses of spouses of District officials or employees were noted. No travel advances to District officials or employees were noted.

Schedule of Findings

Year ended June 30, 2006

Part II: Other Findings Related to Required Statutory Reporting: (continued):

06-II-E <u>Business Transactions</u> - Business transactions between the District and District officials or employees are detailed as follows:

Name, Title and Business Connection	Transaction Description	Amount
Bill Brown Jr., Manager Energy Panels Structures	Charter bus	\$300

The transaction with the board member does not appear to represent a conflict of interest, since it was less than the maximum allowable dollar amount of \$2,500.

Recommendation - We recommend that the board review these types of transactions annually to ensure continued compliance.

Response - We will review these transactions annually.

Conclusion - Response accepted.

- 06-II-F Bond Coverage Surety bond coverage of District officials and employees is in accordance with statutory provisions. The amount of coverage should be reviewed annually to insure that the coverage is adequate for current operations.
- 06-II-G <u>Board Minutes</u> No transactions requiring Board approval which had not been approved by the Board were noted.
- 06-II-H <u>Deposits and Investments</u> No instances of noncompliance with the deposit and investment provisions of Chapter 12B and Chapter 12C of the Code of Iowa and the District's investment policy were noted.
- 06-II-I <u>Certified Annual Report</u> The Certified Annual Report was filed with the Department of Education timely and we noted no significant deficiencies in the amounts reported.
- 06-II-J <u>Certified Enrollment</u> No variances in the basic enrollment data certified to the Department of Education were noted.